

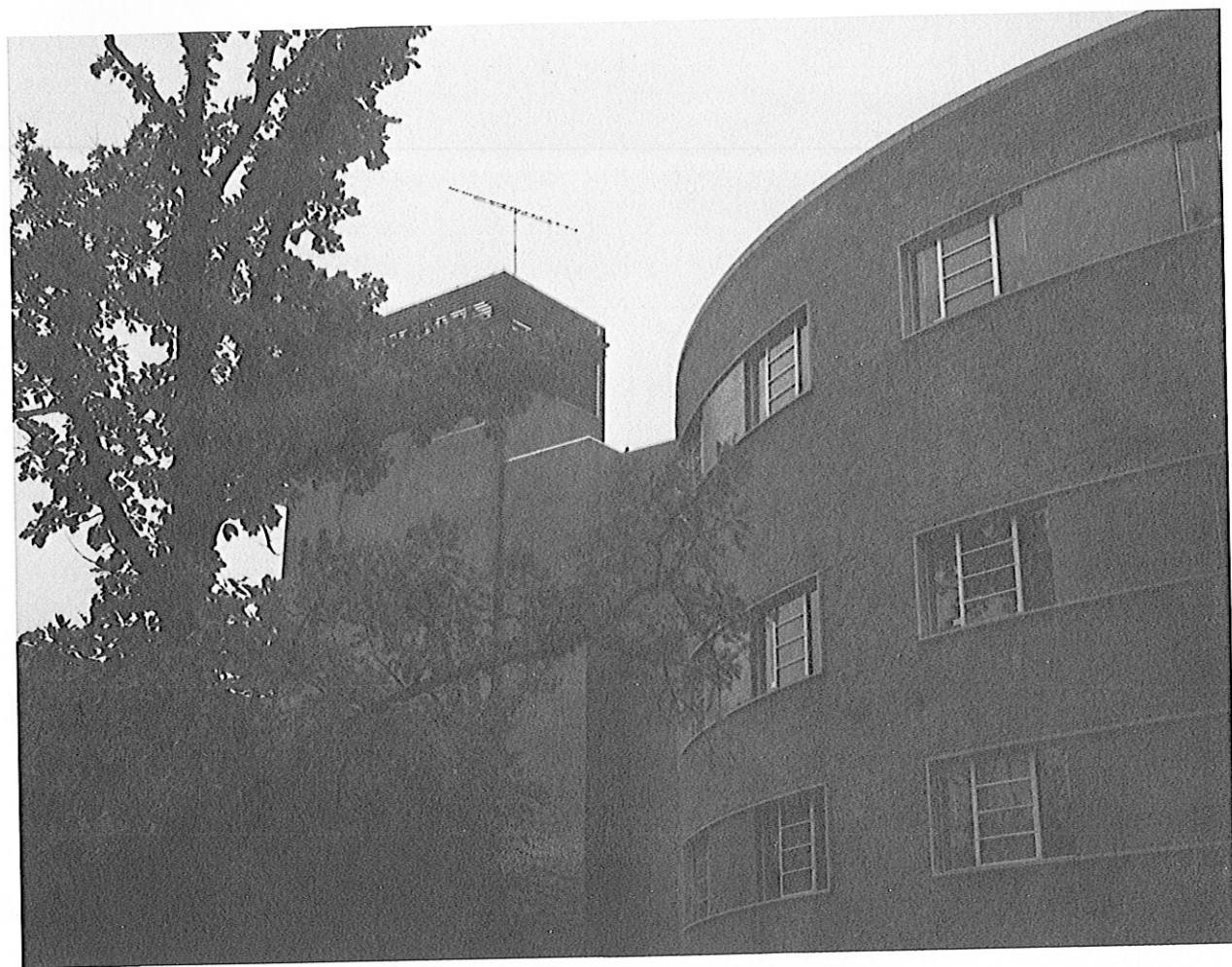




# 1966 White Caps

Vassar Brothers Hospital School of Nursing

presents



*The Year  
of  
New Dimensions*







## *Dedication*

To our patients of the past, the present, and the future, we wish to dedicate this yearbook. To them alone we owe our gratitude, for through them we have gained confidence and competence to further expand our knowledge. For them, we shall bring forth new dimensions in nursing care, and to them, we offer ourselves in mind, in body, and in spirit.



Louis E. Breglia

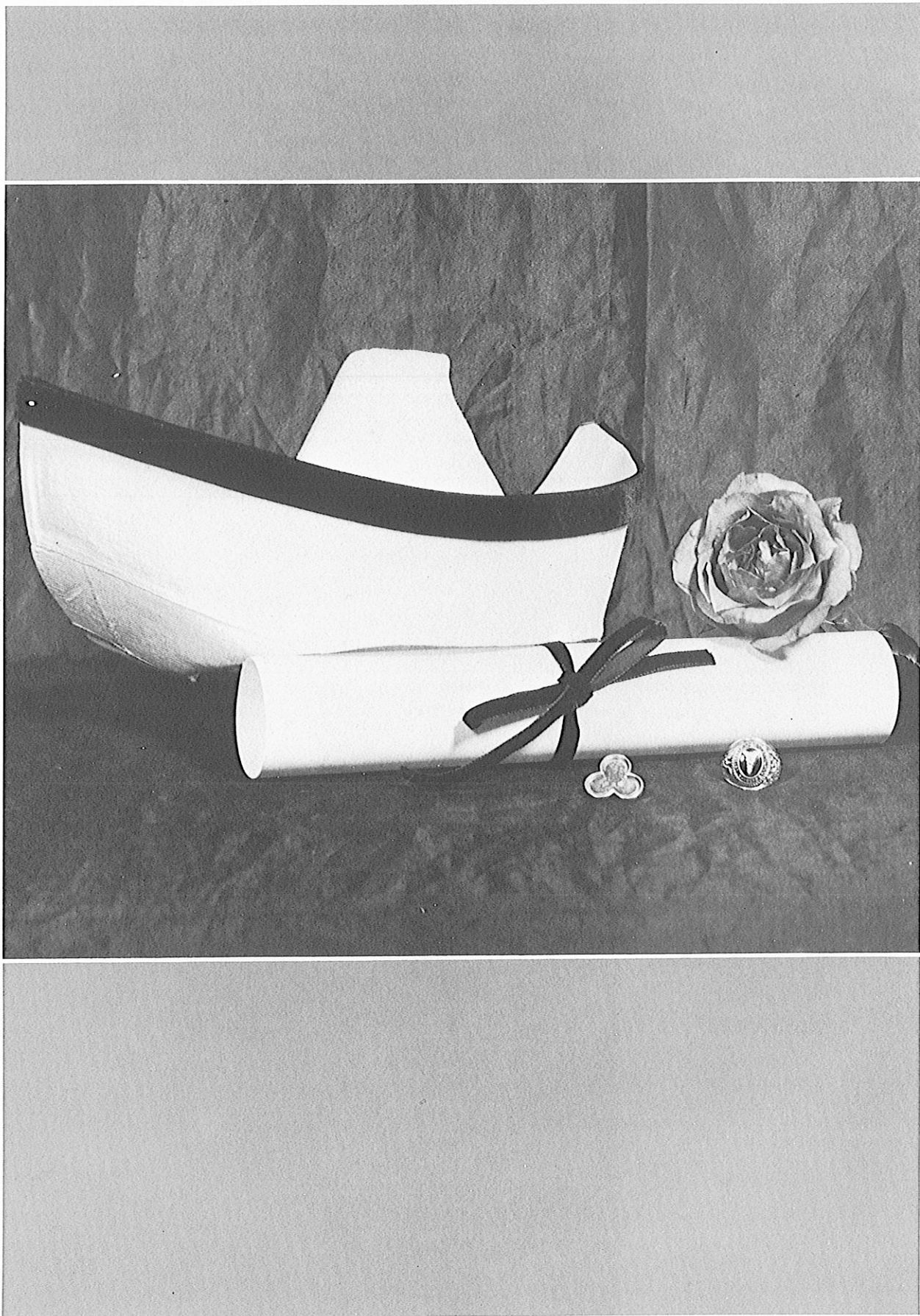
Hospital Administrator.





Mrs. Marie Andrew

Director School of Nursing.







*Advisor:*

*Mrs. Ruthann Berrian*

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## *Anne Bonavist*

Ossining

New York

Diligent worker . . . burning midnight oil  
 . . . Diet Rite Cola . . . busy acquiring  
 skills in Italian culinary . . . non-stop  
 conversationalist . . . noted for knitting  
 . . . neatness . . . a helping hand . . .  
 altar bound.

## *Michele Donohue*

Peekskill

New York

Fun-loving "Mich" . . . beaming mischie-  
 vious smile . . . sincerity tops her person-  
 ality . . . ardent movie critic . . . delights  
 in Latin 'music' . . . the O.R? destination  
 -- world.







## *Diane Forsythe*

Vernon Center

New York

Class organizer . . . self-reliant . . .  
sarcasm . . . sparkling with wit "How  
sweet it is!" . . . 4th floor alarm clock  
. . . sports enthusiast special admirer in  
Virginia . . . future plans include college.

## *Doris Goetz*

New York City

New York

"Mike" is versed on many subjects . . .  
calm, cool and uncollected . . . The soul  
to dare . . . "in like" with ski-bums, en-  
gineers and her red hair . . . pastime —  
sleeping . . . back to ole New York.





## *Margaret Howard*

Hasbrouk Heights

New Jersey

Quiet, serious and practical . . . candidate for "Miss Student Nurse" . . . Peggy leads in school sports . . . pastime -- collecting furniture and night life . . . the man in her life is Jim . . . wedding bells in June.

## *Madelon Kiel*

Oneonta

New York

Quick-witted "Kiel" . . . conscientious and always poised . . . infectious laugh awakens to nothing . . . "I'm up, I'm up" . . . dreams of driving VW to bakeries . . . penthouse . . . ambitious . . . on to college and working.





## *Linda Klippel*

Port Ewen

New York

Unpredictable "Klip" . . . straight forward  
 . . . our class financier . . . endowed with  
 a gifted voice . . . perpetual knitter . . .  
 journeys to Germania . . . future study  
 planned.

## *Lynne McCormick*

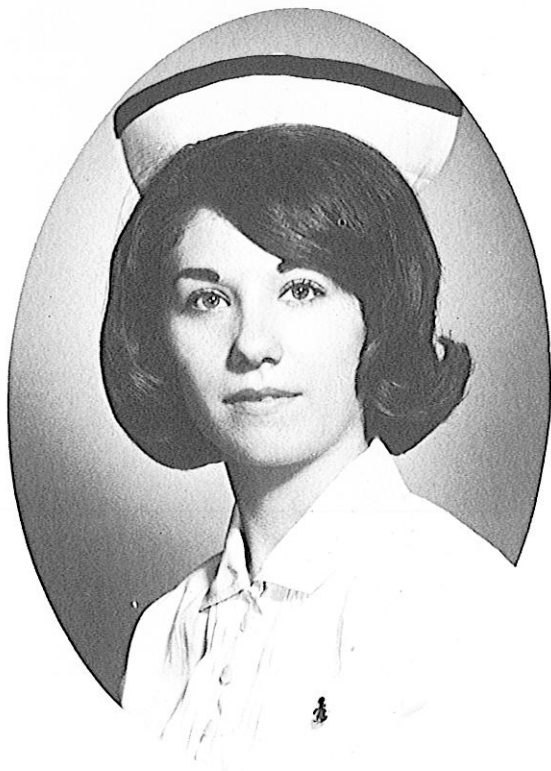
Pound Ridge

New York

Blonde and blue-eyed "Lynnie" . . . great  
 conversationalist and listener, too . . .  
 facial expressions . . . dieting . . . repre-  
 sentative to San Francisco Convention . . .  
 likes 'em tall, dark, and handsome . . .  
 contemplating future in Peds.







## *Theresa Polizzi*

Marlboro

New York

Trustworthy, good-natured "Terri" . . . petite and naturally nice . . . Those flirtatious eyes . . . "Are you kidding me?" . . . Always ready for a good time . . . For her, happiness is Joe.

## *Mary Anne Rebolini*

Huntington

Long Island

Always on the go . . . full of zest . . . that's "Reb" . . . has a serious, sensitive side, too . . . a real adventurer . . . "hot Buick . . . Do I hear sirens? . . . I didn't do it . . . " addicted to peanut butter and jelly . . . It's on to college.





## *Phyllis Rivenburgh*

Wassaic

New York

Fair-minded . . . happy-go-lucky "Phyl"  
 . . . that blush matches her red hair . . .  
 "Really?" . . . avid movie goer . . .  
 stamp collector . . . glass menagerie . . .  
 interested in opthalmic surgery . . . future  
 with Gene.

## *Pamela Schaller*

Monroe

New York

Sincere, quiet "Pam" . . . ability plus . .  
 good student . . . class president for two  
 years . . . agile camper and water-skier  
 . . . betrothed to Jamie . . . fall wedding  
 planned . . . will make a great housewife.





## *Barbara Schiffhauer*

Poughkeepsie

New York

Blue-eyed "Barb" . . . short in stature, but full of life . . . first one to say, "I do" . . . busy keeping house now . . . leaves a trail of dust in her Healey . . . "love that noise" . . . future includes "little ones."

## *Karen Stokes*

Gardiner ·

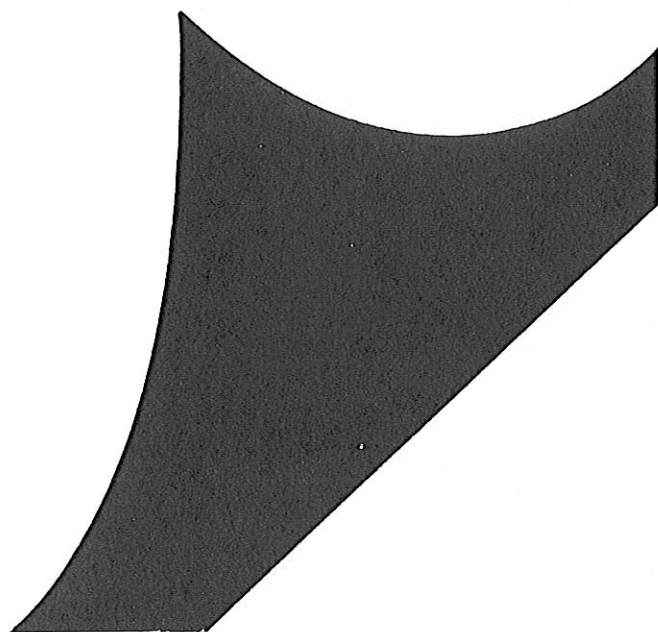
New York

Intelligence and determination scented with "Lily of the Valley" . . . "Where's the party?" . . . tops in wardrobes and hairstyling . . . crazy over Bobby Vinton and maltballs? . . . pastime -- car shopping . . . future points toward further education.





*. . . and as We  
Move On to  
New Dimensions  
We Find . . .*



## *A Year of Change*

A basic assumption of education is the school exists to help the student. In a world of continual change and advancement it is only fitting and necessary that our institution change and advance in order to aid us, the students.

In the past year we of Vassar Brothers School of Nursing have experienced a radical change. Our administration, seeking to prepare us to meet the demands of society and to provide us with a more adequate education has given help by means of a new curriculum.

Traditions are not easily broken. With sudden abruptness we find ourselves in a new program -- a two-year program replacing the previous three-years. Yes, we found problems; all adjustments were not made easily. But in this modern age of new dimensions, we especially, entering a field of service to humanity, must not be rigid, relying only on the old; not so pliable that we change with every whim -- but discriminating in our changes -- to adjustments which benefit ourselves and as a result our profession.

Within these pages you will find two distinct classes. One, the last of the three-year program the other, the first of the two. Though we are different we are trying to work together to help make the new two-year program a success for us and all who will enter the new dimension of nursing in the future.



*Advisor:*

*Miss Lois Schrade*

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## *Susan Audion*

Mattituck

New York

Approaches all tasks with a concentrated effort . . . relaxes by watching the "stories" . . . "Bucky" is pleasantly quiet and calm.

## *Joan Carr*

South Egremont

Massachusetts

Patience is "Mack's" virtue . . . Massachusetts' import . . . First English lesson, say "Park the Car" . . . one often hears her low voice saying "Dolly."





## *Carol Cooper*

Nyack

New York

The silent type at school -- at home we have our suspicions . . . "Coop" seems to suffer from hyperactivity of the cerebrum . . . Hallmark's best customer.

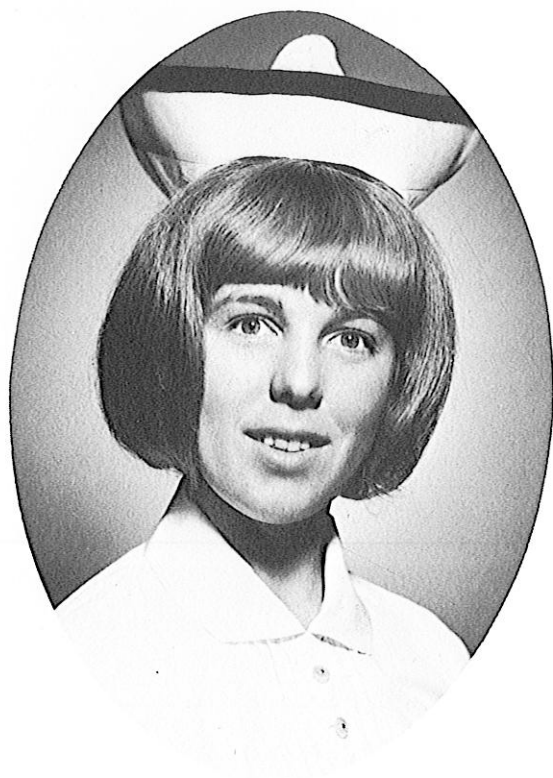


## *Kathie Deal*

Vernon Center

N.Y.

Always willing to help . . . "Kath spends her happiest moments counting the days . . . "Are you kidding me?"



## *Meredith Fletcher*

Wappingers Falls

New York

Shares her happiness with all . . . where there's music, there's "Fletch" . . . "scratch that" . . . someday we'll see her on the Ted Mack Show.

## *Janet Francis*

Lake Mohegan

New York

Has an infectious laugh . . . can always be found listening to the Beatles . . . "basically" . . . VBH's answer to Alan Funt.







## *Ruth Godfrey*

Bloomington

New York

Practical and reliable . . . "Shazam" . . .  
 "Ruthie" is VBH's answer to Gomer Pyle  
 . . . quiet but not without thought.

## *Joan Gorges*

Cold Spring

New York

"Joanie" idolizes the Ouiga . . . "Deadlines,  
 deadlines" . . . neither rain nor sleet nor  
 snow will keep this nurse from a good time.





## *Marcia Graber*

Highland Falls

New York

A true fan of Robert Young . . . "Marsh"  
has a fantastic way with yarn . . . a  
pleasing smile . . . "Do you have a match?"

## *Judith Humel*

Newark

Delaware

Constantly polite and smiling . . . Judy has  
a flare for sports . . . "Oh, come on!"  
. . . our own pixie.





## *Patricia Lawler*

Fishkill

New York

A sincere friend she will always be . . .  
an ardent fan of DCC . . . "Pat's" eyes are  
as pretty as they come.

## *Ellen Layton*

Millbrook

New York

Good natured as they come . . . VBH's  
answer to Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee . . . "It's not  
the size of the car that counts!"





## *Shirley Lester*

Pine Bush

New York

Sports and fun are her constant companions  
 . . . lovely to look at, delightful to see  
 . . . "Shirl spends a great deal of time  
 writing letters.

## *Mary Lloyd*

Maybrook

New York

A most attractive bookworm . . . May has  
 an attraction to the State of Michigan . . .  
 all around ability.







## *Linda Lyle*

Hartford Connecticut  
 "Lynn" loves football and certain Spanish  
 teachers . . . "But Miss Schrade!" . . .  
 Big smile, big heart and lots of laughs.

## *Terrie Miller*

Millerton

New York

Humor is a great ASSET . . . Who says all  
 frogs have four legs? . . . Always talking  
 with her hands.





## *Carole Mortimer*

Carmel

New York

Look out for the quiet ones -- "Mort's"  
favorite color -- red of course . . . All is  
fair in love and war.

## *Karen Murray*

Red Oaks Mills

New York

Dancing is her sixth sense . . . "Murph" is  
an ardent fan of Sonny and Cher.





## *Juanita Newton*

Gardiner

New York

Always prepared to please . . . "Fig" has a great attraction for Massachusetts -- and it's not just the scenery . . . "Ya know" . . . VBH's answer to punctuality.

## *Lois Osborn*

Monticello

New York

Slow and easy going . . . Has interests in the state capital . . . "Did anybody go for the mail?" . . . Always ready to flash a smile.





## *Susan Osburn*

Peekskill

New York

Where there's a will there's a way . . . "I don't drive my car, I aim it!" . . . "Ooh!" . . . Ambition to go around the world in eighty days.

## *Carol Palazzo*

Wappingers Falls

New York

A girl with a flare for boys . . . Can always be found living it up . . . "We must be doing something right!"







## *Bonita Pavlik*

Newburgh

New York

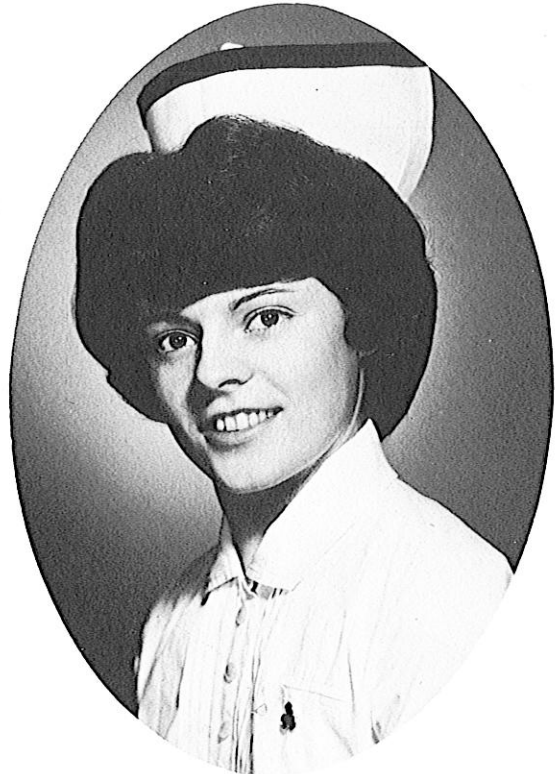
A president with get up and go . . . "We may not be smart, but we sure do have fun!" . . . a special interest in the National Guard.

## *Linda Reynolds*

Andes

New York

Ambitious . . . IBM's answer to the efficiency problem . . . "Lyn," our keeper of the funds . . . "Ask me if I'm scared."





## *Jo Ann Saxe*

Poughkeepsie

New York

A VW's best friend . . . our first to tie the knot . . . "My word" . . . has an interest in Alaska.

## *Norma Schmeer*

Beacon

New York

An artist in the making . . . "I don't get it" . . . Bell Telephone's best customer . . . our red-headed friend . . . a diamond, a diamond, a lovely diamond . . . 'Norm'.





## *Nancy Sheldon*

Stony Point

New York

Tiny and quiet . . . fills the air with  
"More" . . . has a successful way of stay-  
ing happy . . . "Who lives in the Hoosier  
State?"

## *Joanne Steele*

Wappingers Falls

New York

Everybody's laughing friend . . . the girl  
with an eye for a good time . . . "Zap"  
. . . tried and true friend of Richard  
Chamberlain.





## *Dorothy Sundstrom*

Hudson

New York

Always willing to help . . . Betty Crocker's chief rival . . . "Such is life" . . . "Old Mac Donald had a farm" -- so did someone else.

## *Suzanne Thew*

Hughsonville

New York

The power of a smile . . . helps improve interschool relations with Marist . . . "Have you paid your dues?" . . . takes the big step in June.







## *June Traylor*

Poughkeepsie

New York

Youth comes but once, enjoy it . . . her uniforms all said "Judne G." . . . "Of course I can cook!"



## *Laurie Van Karner*

Port Jervis

New York

Has a flare for having fun . . . Known to all as "Pinky" . . . California bound . . . "Let's have a party!"



## *Diana Wallace*

Vernon Center

New York

Student Government leader all the way . . .  
 "Me blush? Never!" . . . "Cool it you  
 guys" . . . never a dull moment.

## *Carolyn Wheeler*

Montgomery

New York

The silent ones are the thinkers . . . bright  
 and cheery . . . there's something about a  
 Navy man . . . go west young man -- go  
 west!



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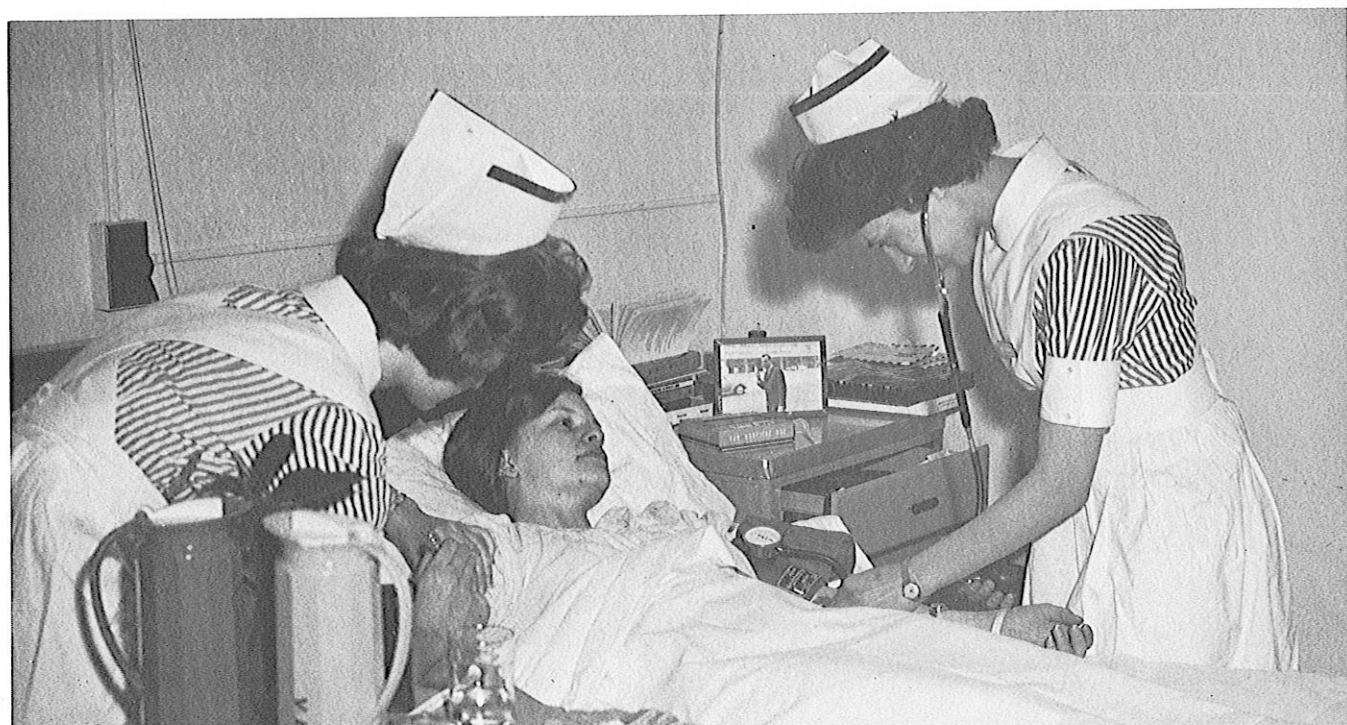
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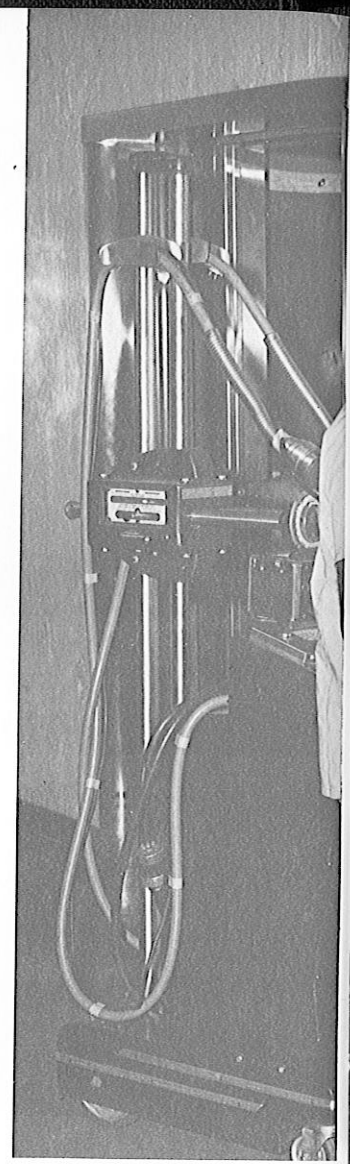
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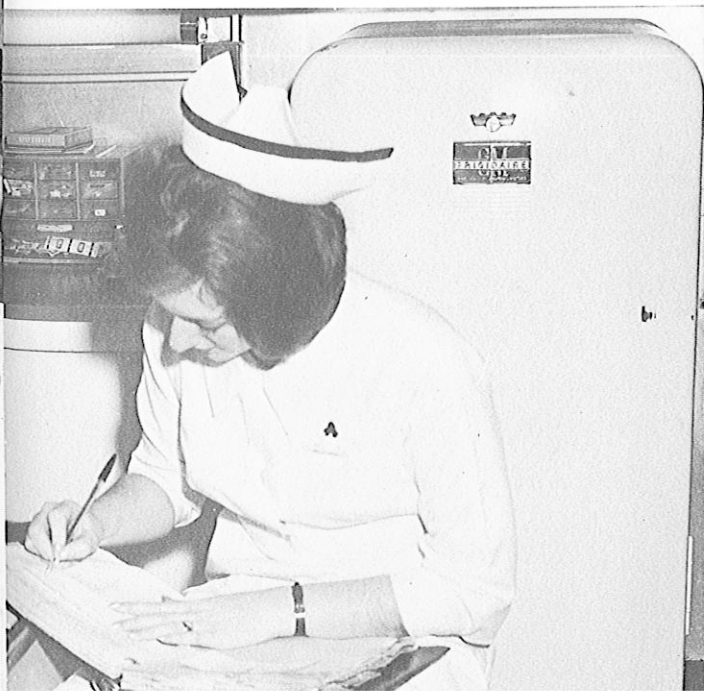
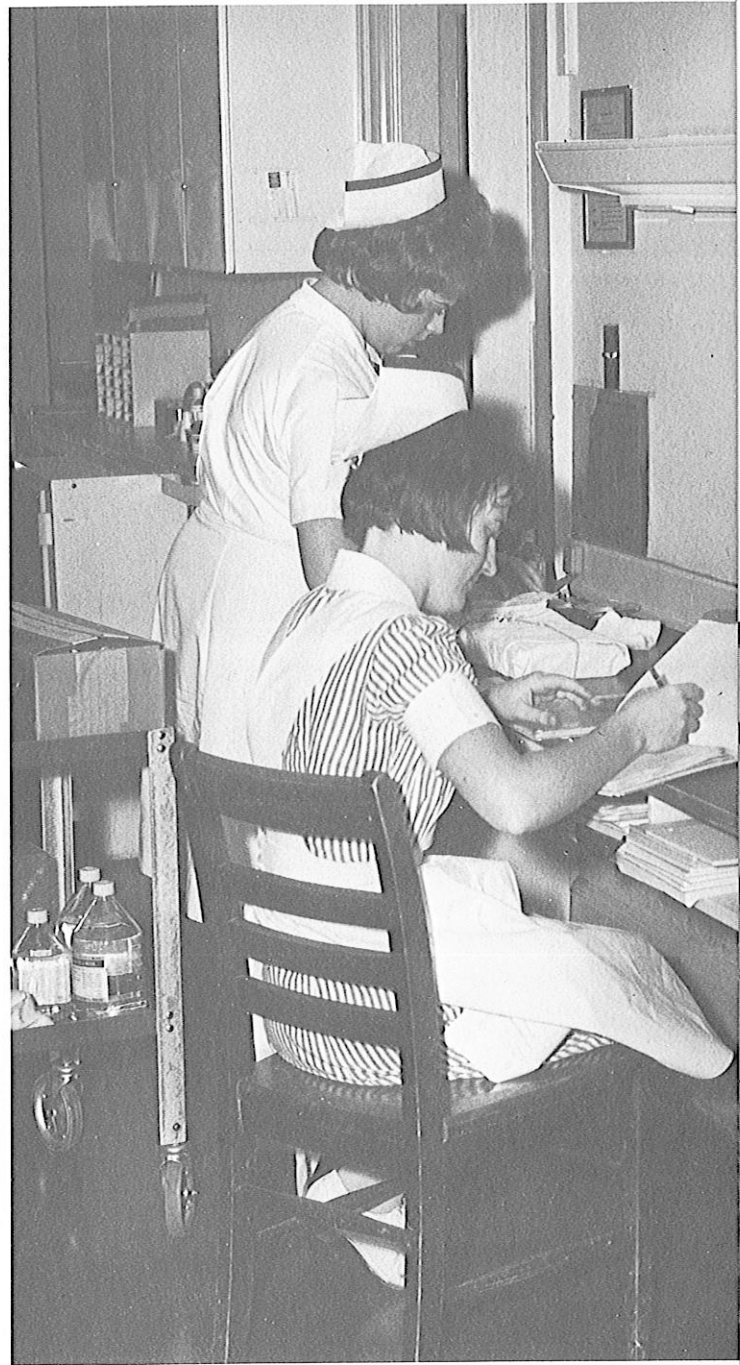
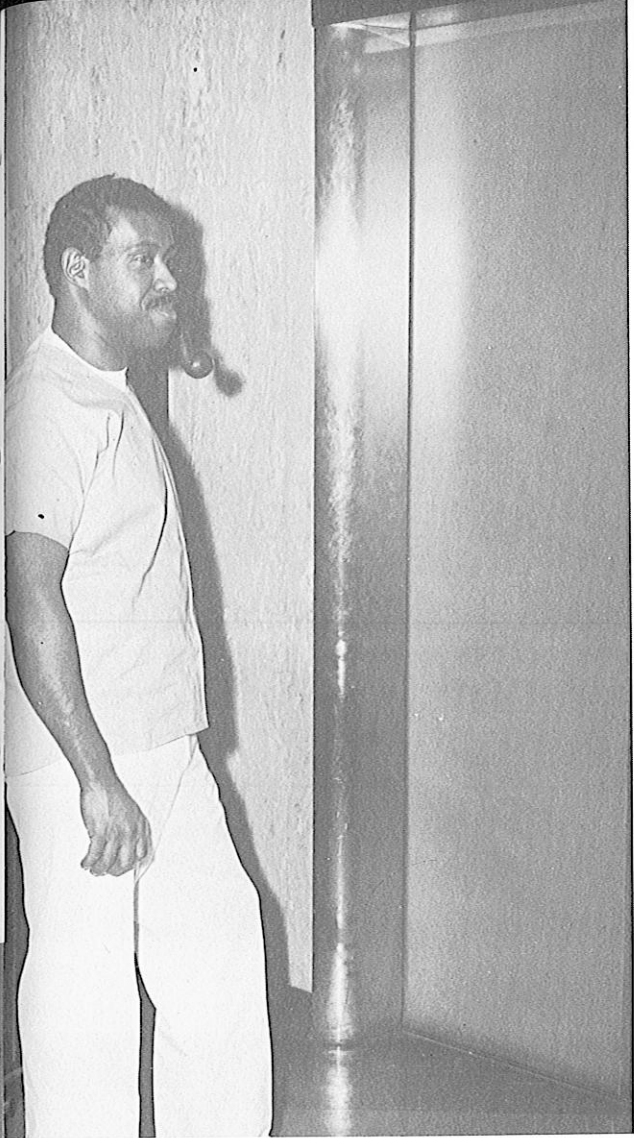
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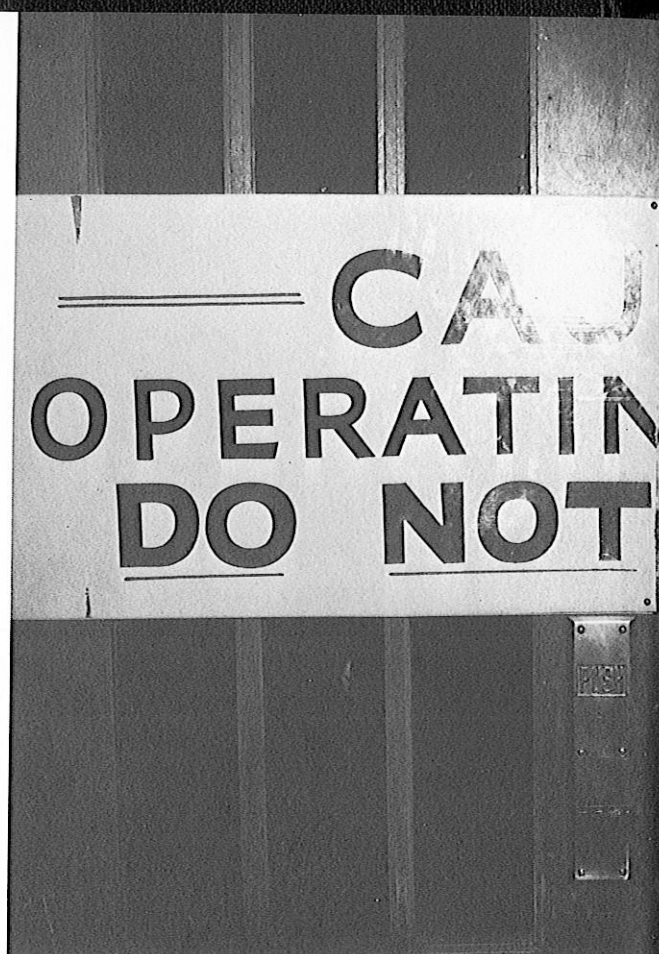
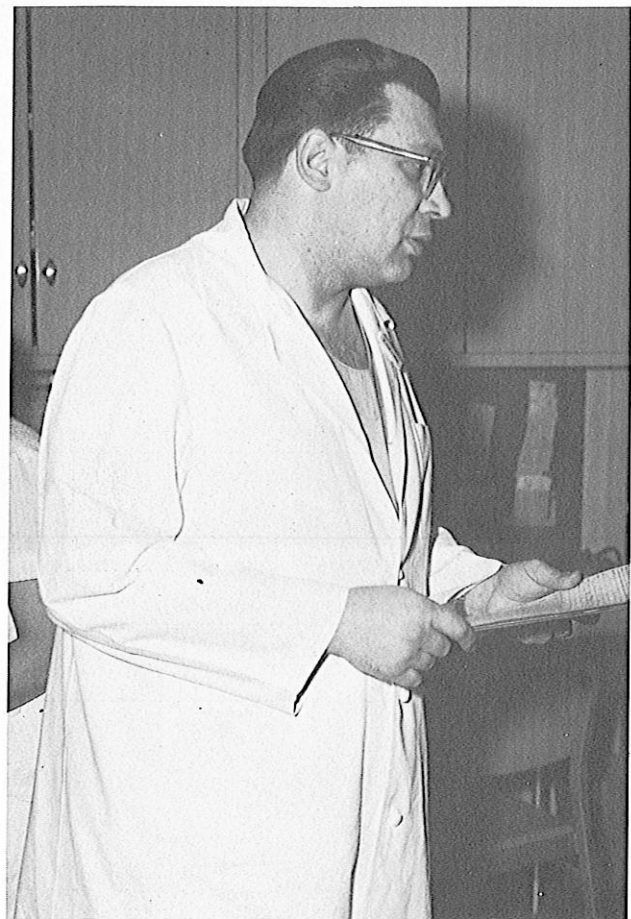




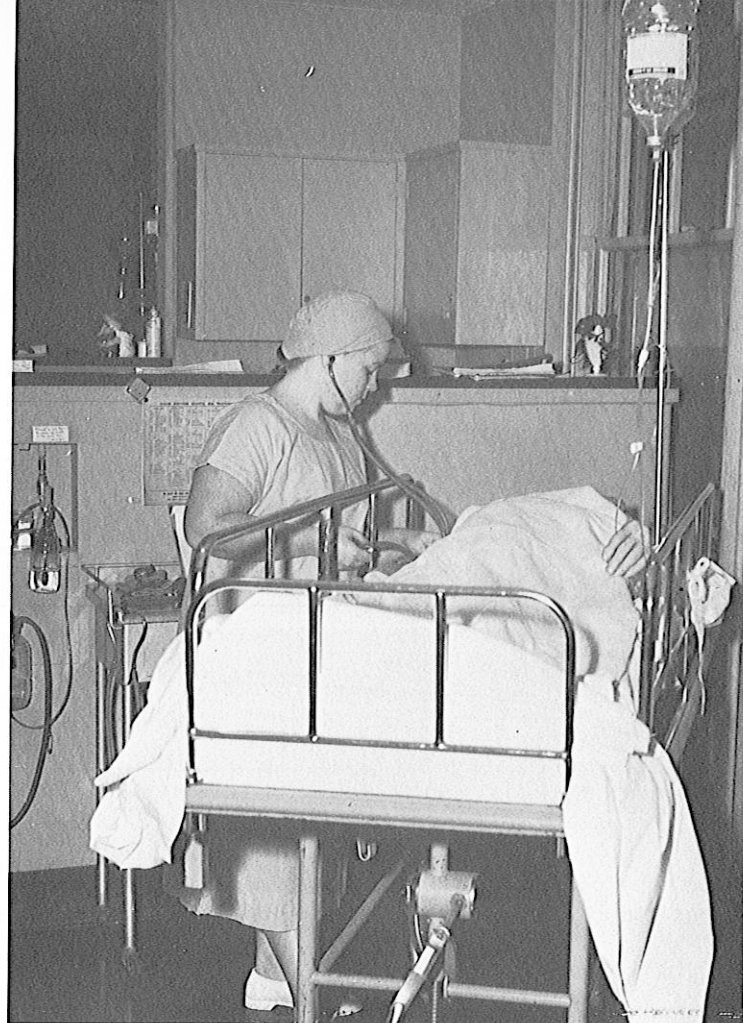








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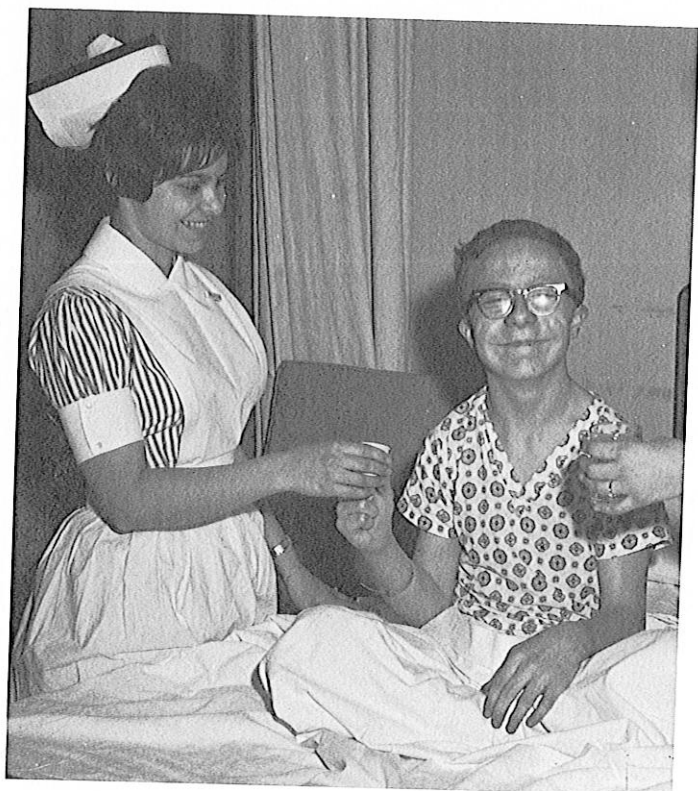




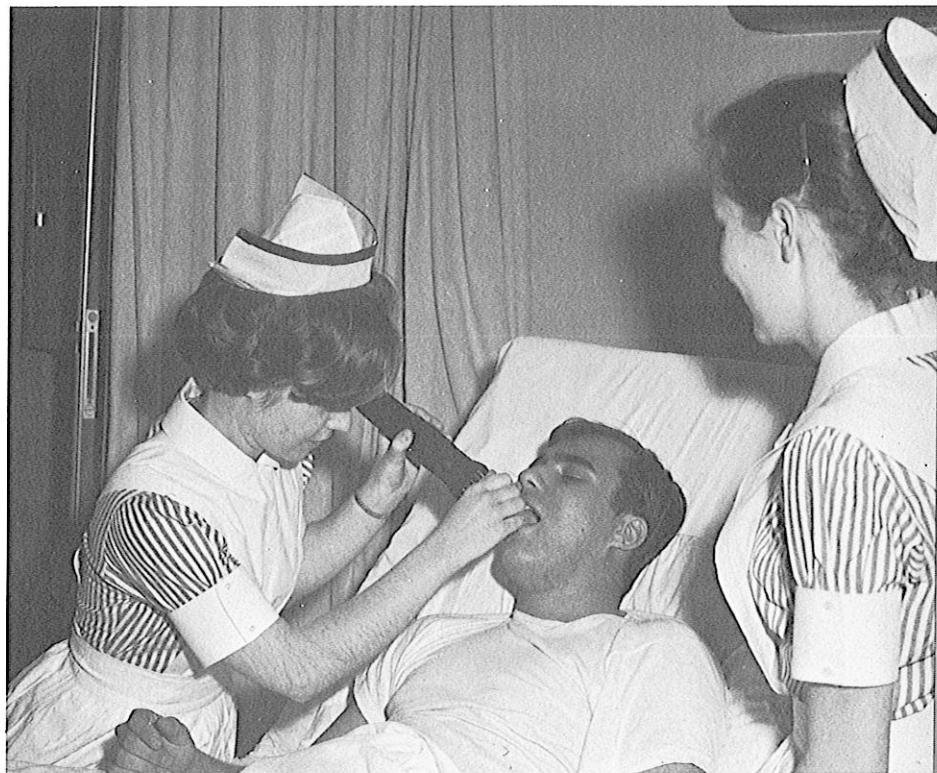
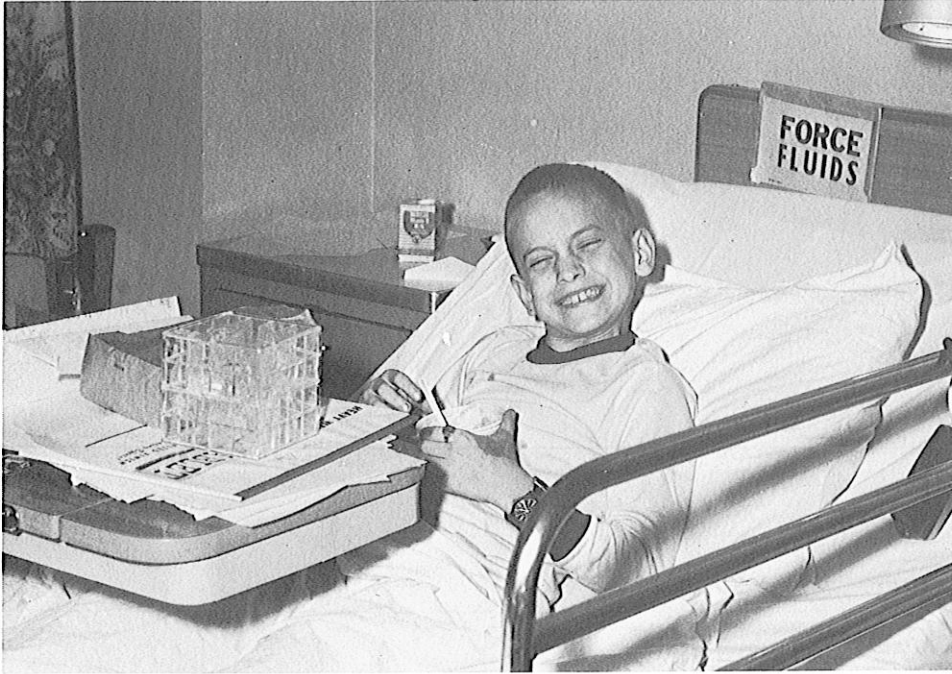
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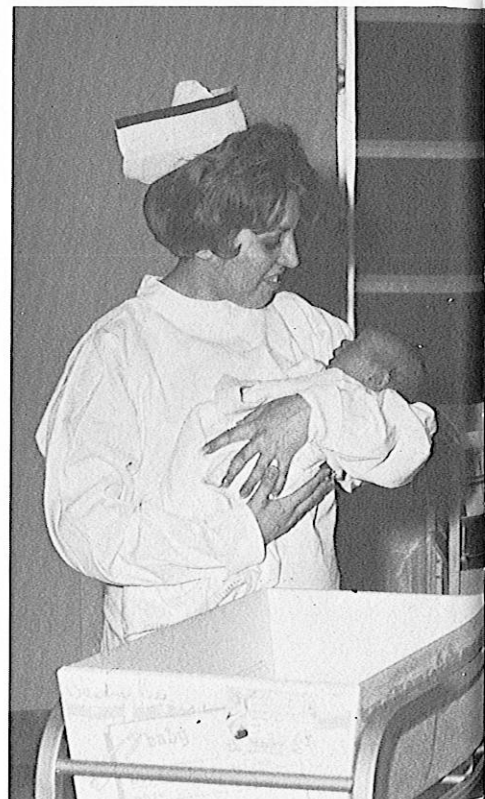




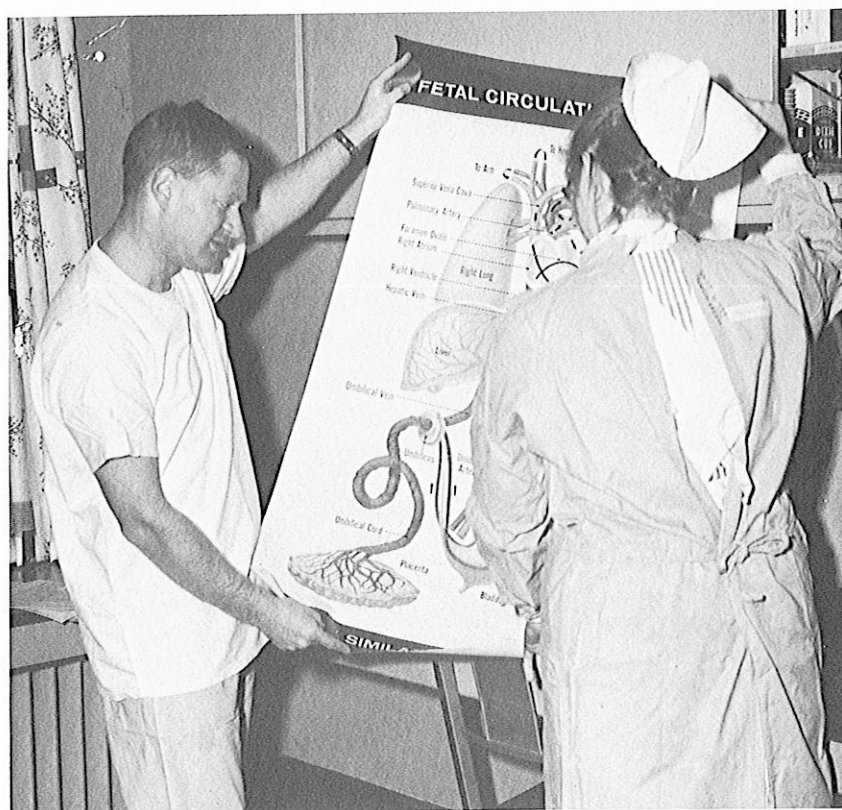
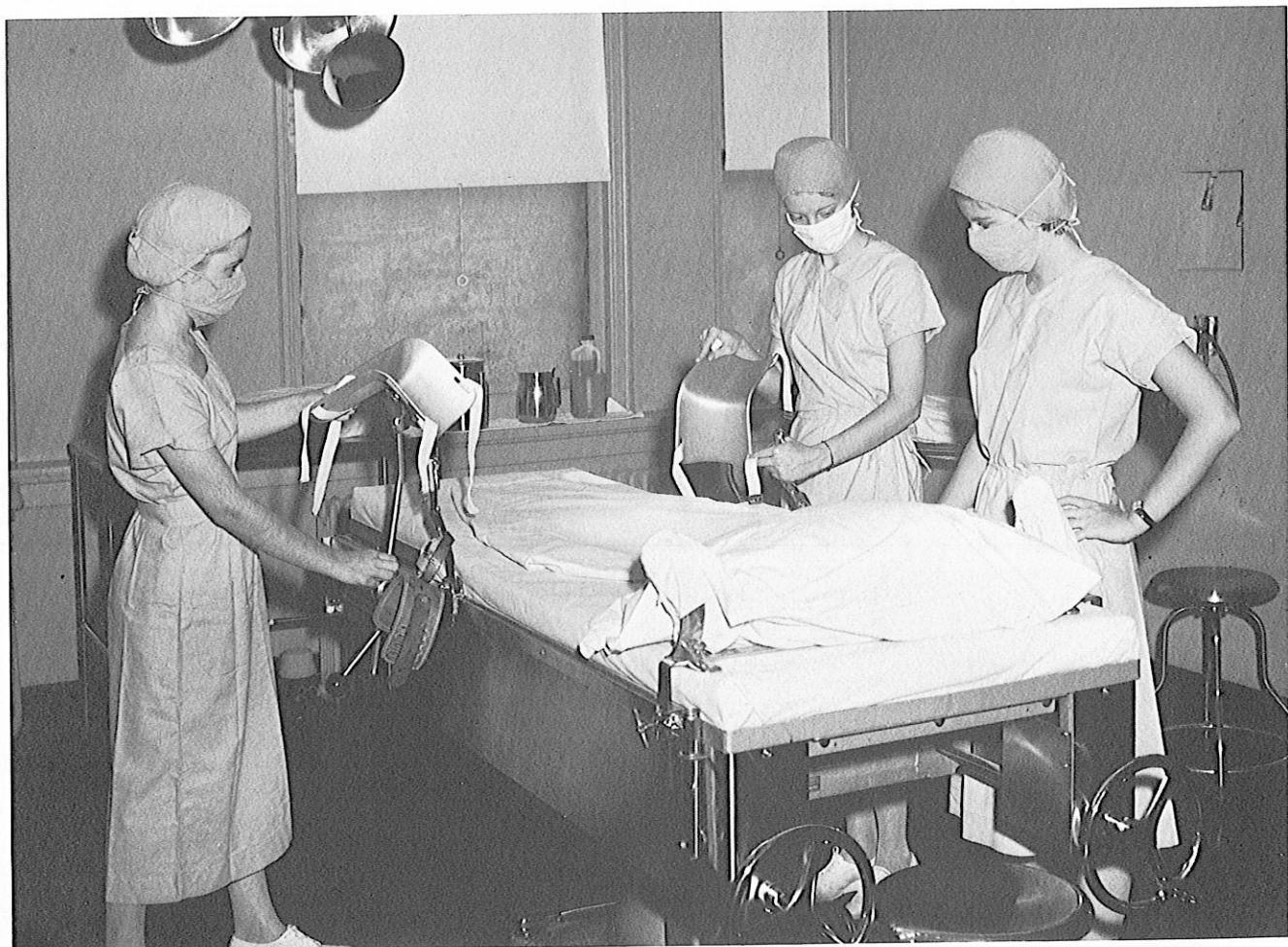




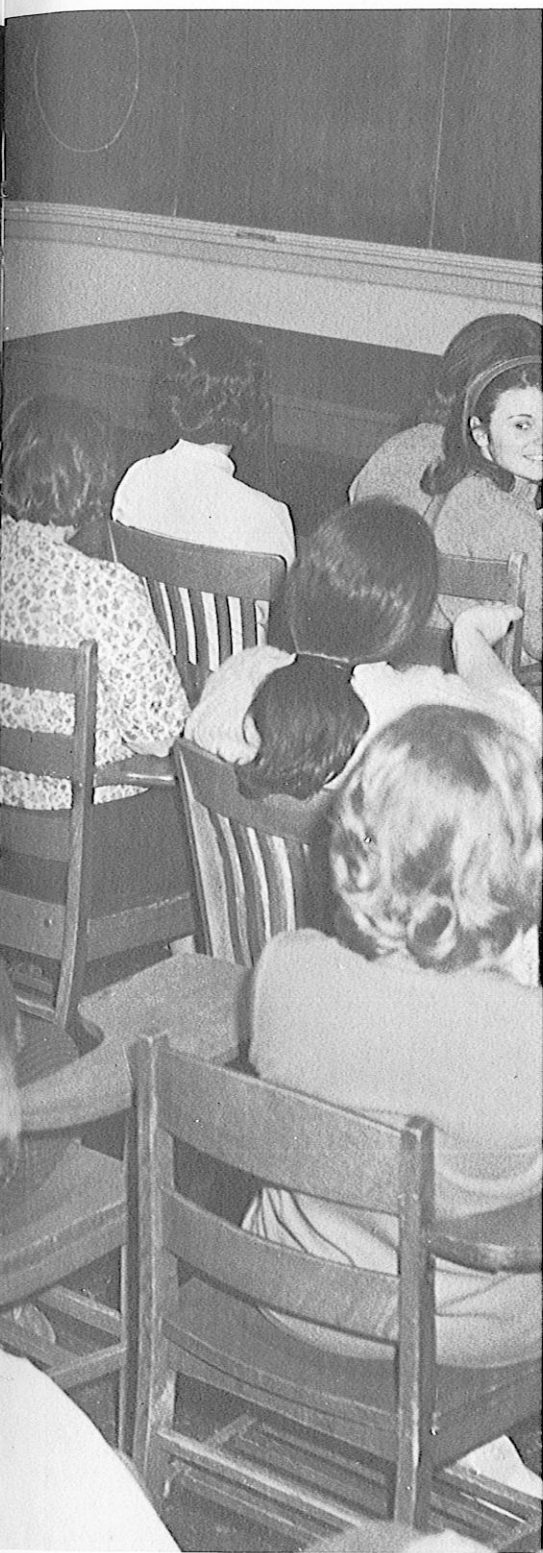
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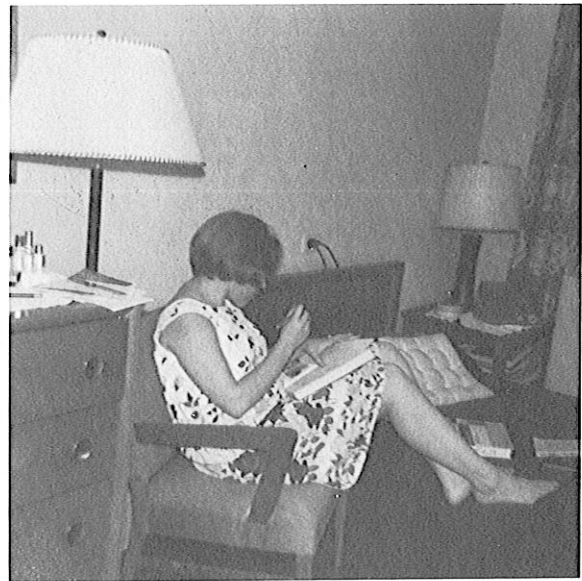


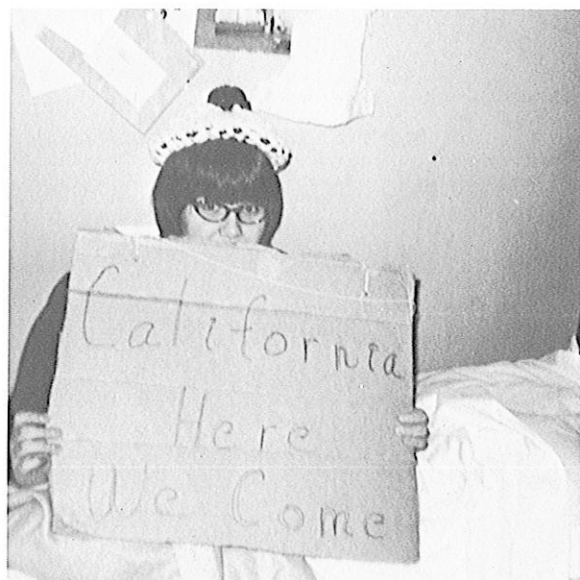


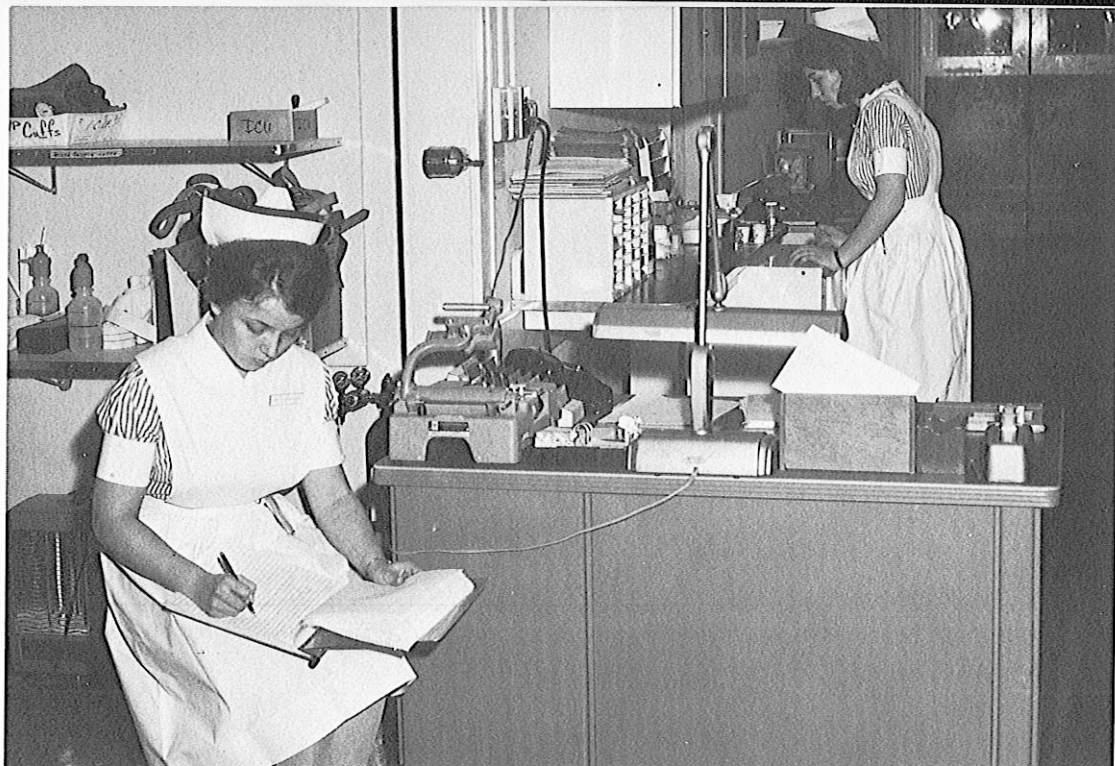
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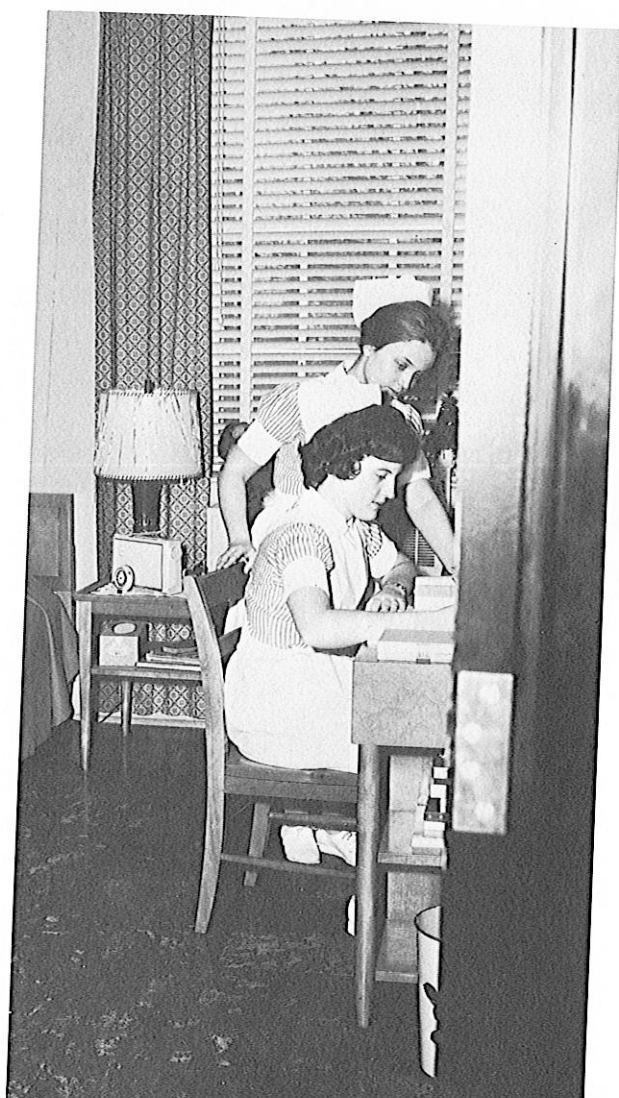
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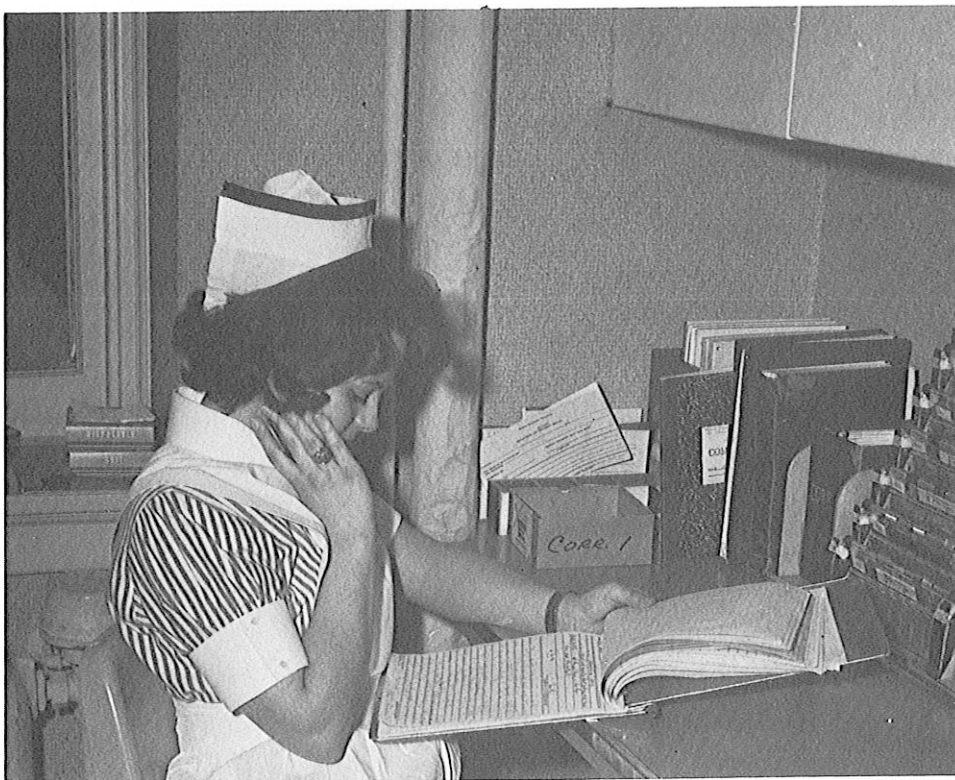
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Years from now, you will reflect on your graduation and recapture the feelings you are presently experiencing -- feelings of accomplishment, anticipation and the sudden realization that a world overflowing with opportunity was suddenly placed before you.

The roads leading from the commencement exercises are numerous indeed. Some of you will travel at full speed down super highways; others will choose roads less traveled and will encounter many detours and obstacles.

The people at IBM sincerely wish you the wisdom to choose the right road, utilizing your full potential, and the fortitude to make the journey you are now embarking on a rich and rewarding one.

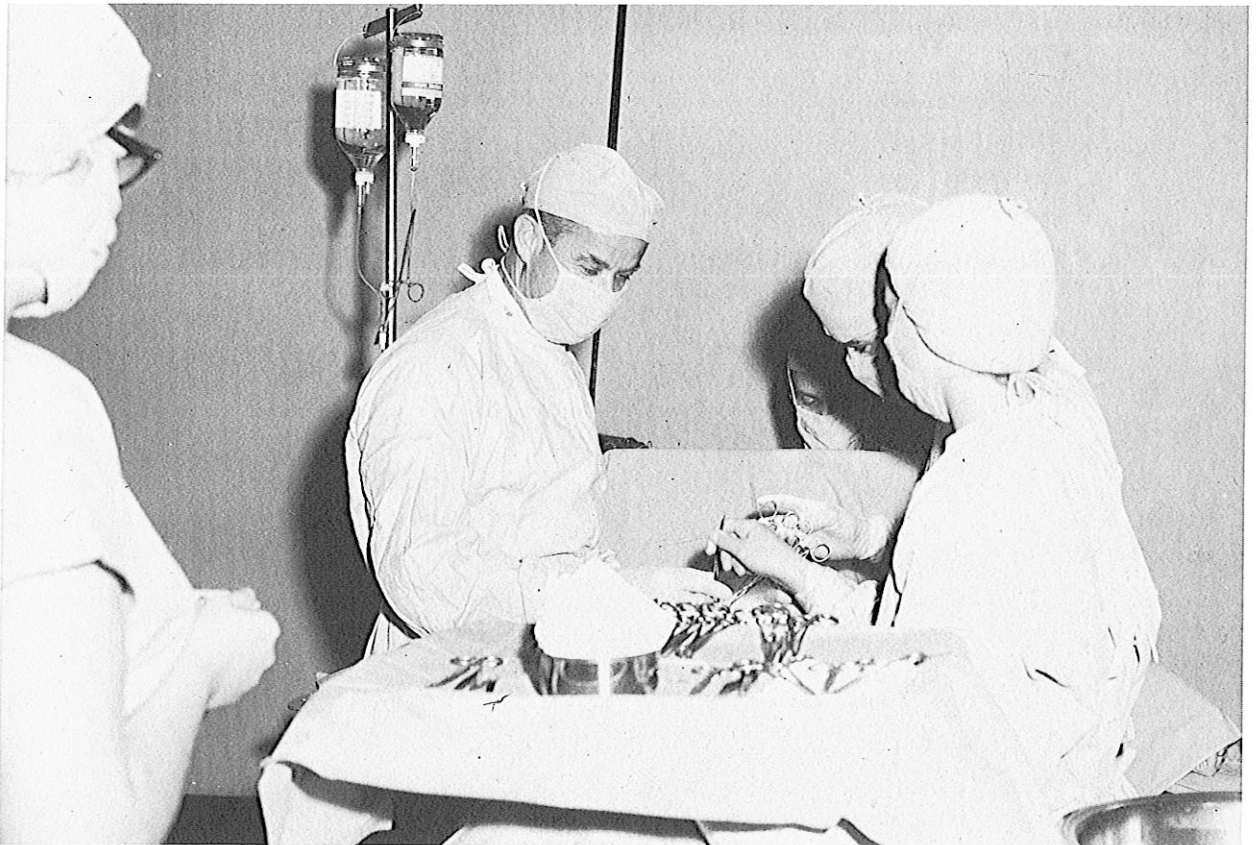
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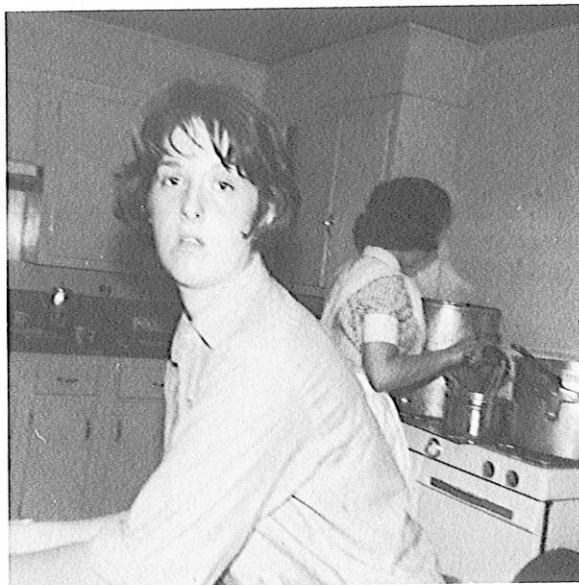
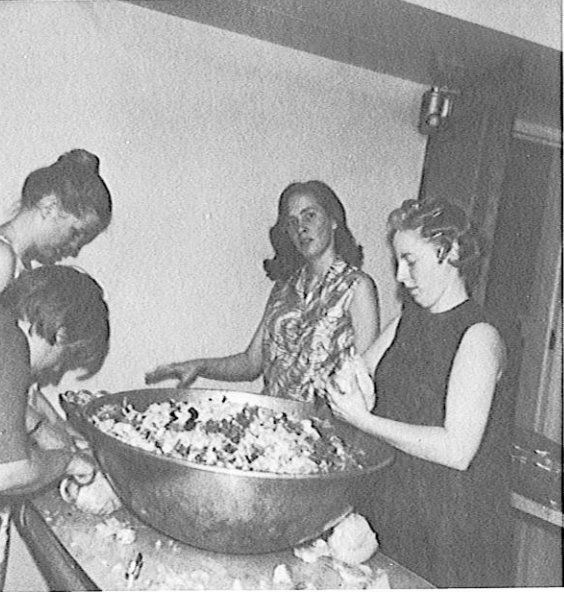
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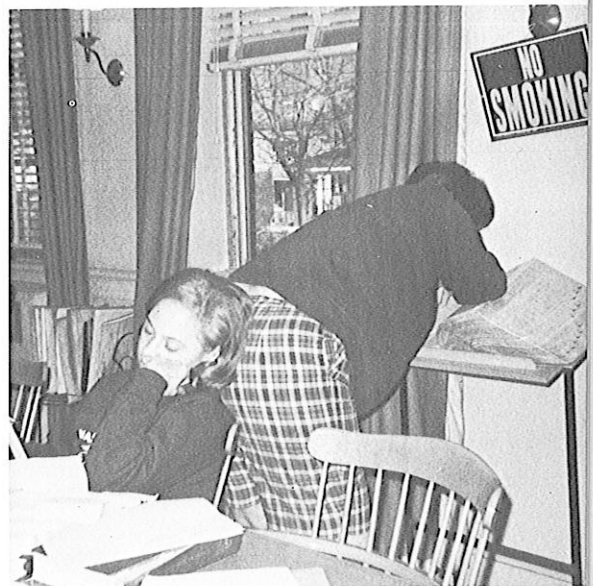
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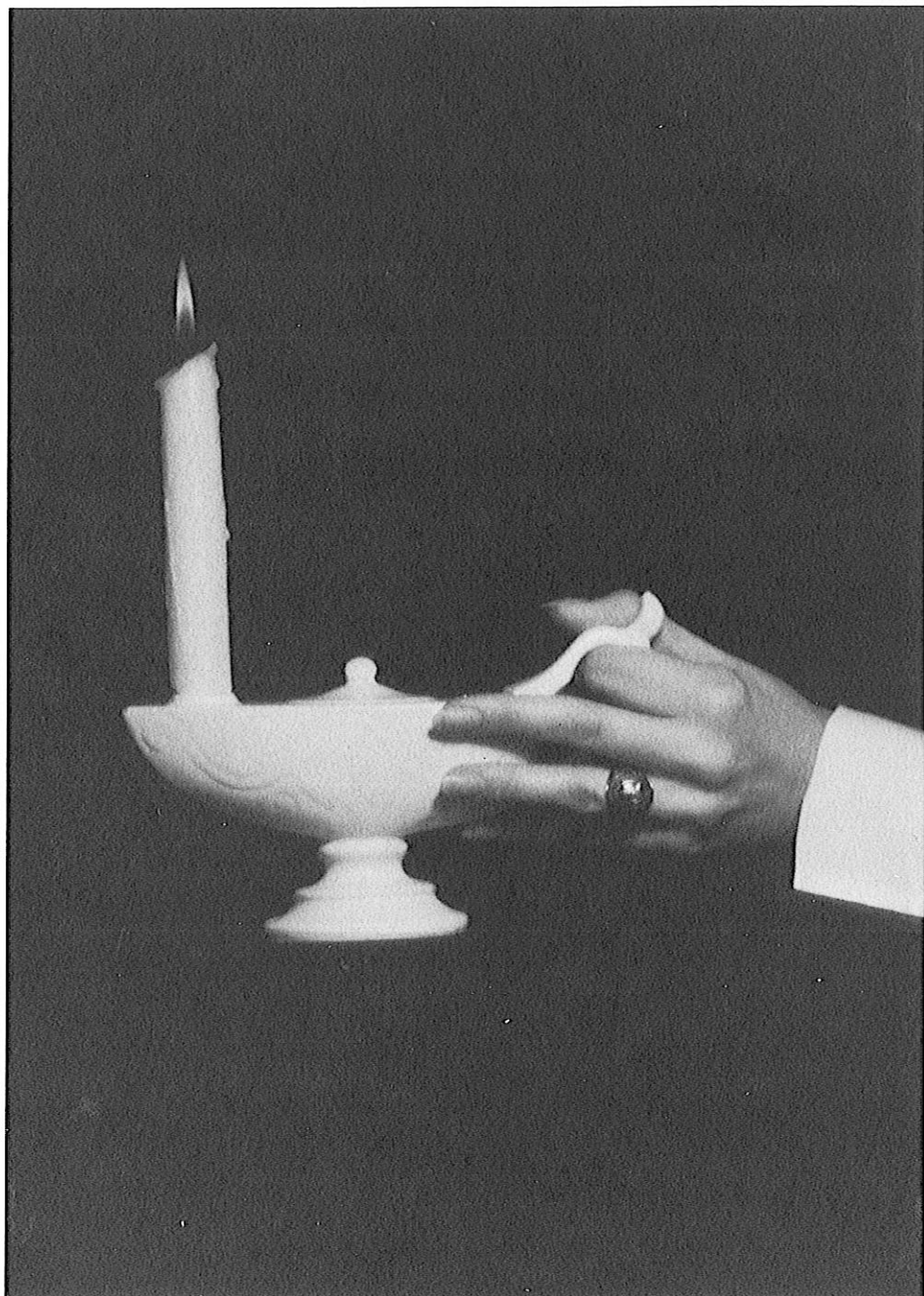
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## *Dear Parents*

Time has flown.  
Almost three years  
    have flourished and died  
        with the seasons.  
We are alone now  
    in this strange world.  
Our paths of life are set  
    and now must be followed  
        with strength and faith.  
With open minds  
    we shall strive to understand  
        our bretheren;  
With open arms  
    we shall comfort those  
        who need us;  
And with open hearts  
    we shall give our love.  
  
With your patience,  
    your help,  
        your guidance and love  
            we are now able to give of ourselves.  
Thank you dear parents  
    for this precious gift.

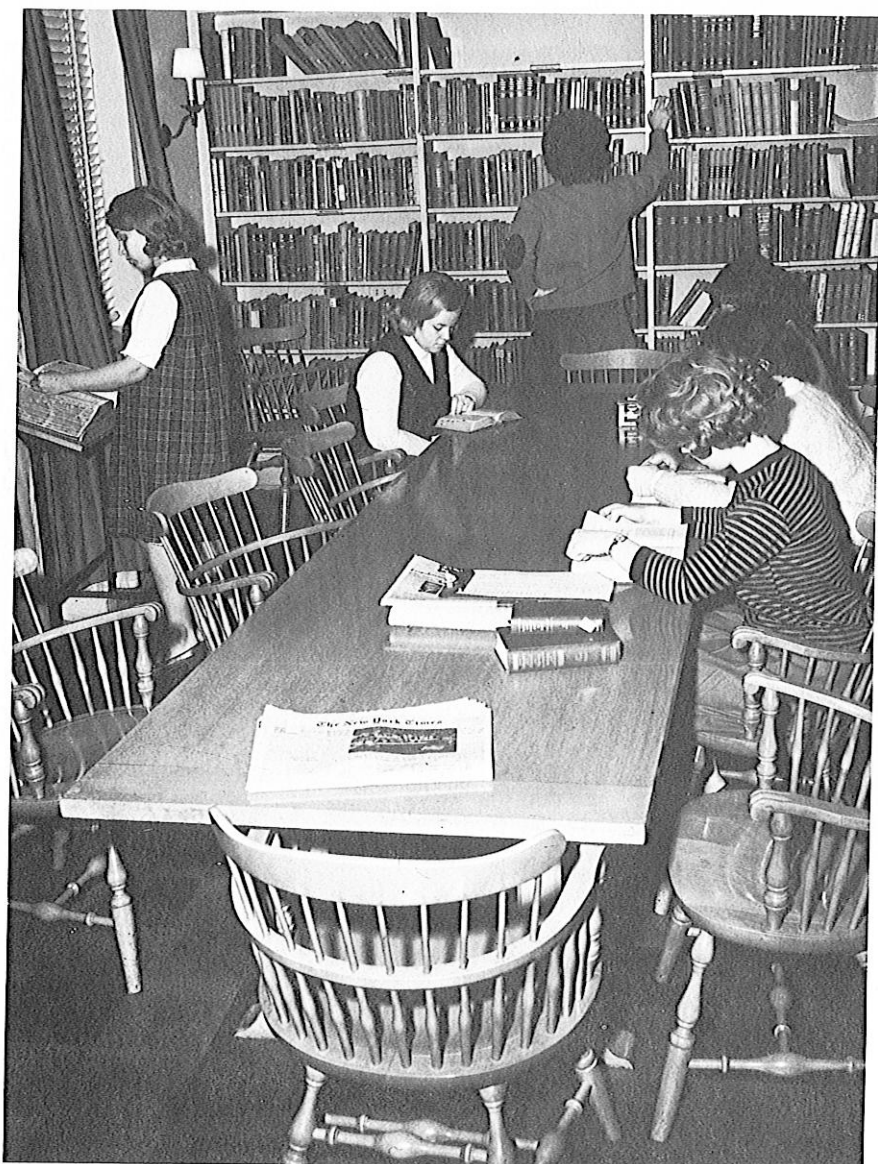
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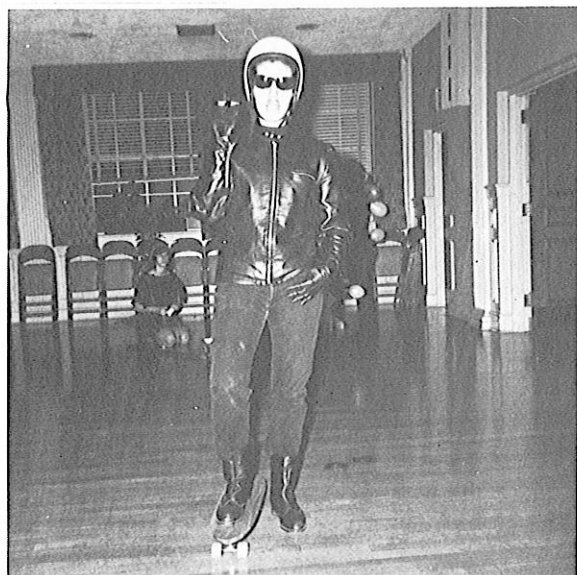
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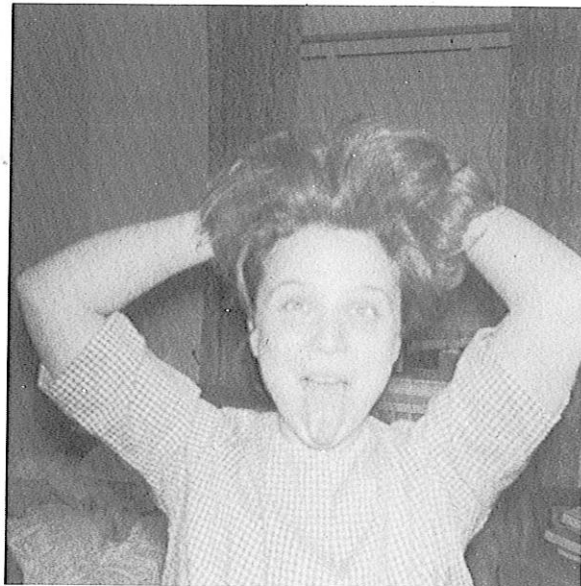
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## *At the End of a Nurse's Day*

Seven o'clock! And the nurse's work  
Was done for another day.  
She heaved a sort of tired sigh  
And put the charts away.

Then sat for a moment and bowed her head  
Over the little white desk --  
"I wonder, "said she to herself, "after all, "  
Am I really doing my best?"

"Perhaps I could have begun the day  
With a brighter, cheerier smile  
And answered the bells with -- 'Right away'  
Instead of 'After awhile.' "

"And I might have listened with sweeter grace,  
To the story of 'Six's' woes:  
She may be suffering more, perhaps  
More than anyone knows."

"And I might have refrained from the half-way frown  
Although I was busy then,  
When the frail little girl with sad blue eyes,  
Kept ringing again and again."

"And I might have spoken a kindlier word  
To the heart of that restless boy,  
And stopped a moment to help him find  
The missing part of his toy."

"Or perhaps the patient in thirty-five  
Just needed a gentler touch;  
There are lots of things I might have done  
And it wouldn't have taken much."

She sighed again and brushed a tear  
Then whispered -- praying low  
"My God, how can you accept this day,  
When it has been lacking so?"

And God looked down -- He heard the sigh  
He saw the shining tear:  
Then sent His Angel Messenger,  
To whisper in her ear . . .

"You could have done better today,  
But, Oh! The Omnipotent One  
Seeing your faults, does not forget,  
The beautiful things you have done . . . "

"He knows, little nurse, that you love your work,  
In this house of pain and sorrow  
So gladly forgives the lack of today  
For you will do better tomorrow."

The nurse looked up with grateful smile  
"Tomorrow -- I'll make it right;"  
Then added a note in the order book,  
"Be good to them tonight."

